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I hereby certify that the attached correspondence comprising:

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application in response to the Office Action mailed May 15, 2003.

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action be extended for a period of three months from August 15, 2003 to November 15, 2003. The required fee for the extension is estimated to be \$950.

No additional claims fee is required.

Please charge the required extension fee, estimated to be \$950, to Novozymes North America, Inc., Deposit Account No. 50-1701. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed May 15, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows: